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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 1761
Examiner : Thuy Tran Lien
Applicants : Cheree L. B. Stevens et al.
Appln. No. : 09/778,470
Filing Date : February 7, 2001
Confirmation No. : 4695
For : **WATER-DISPERSIBLE COATING COMPOSITION
FOR FRIED FOODS AND THE LIKE**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed November 22, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner consider the following amendment and remarks. Also enclosed is a Petition and Fee for a Two-Month Extension of Time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.